

Atty. Docket: 04-0734

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Steven D. Richardson : Group Art Unit: 3644

Serial No.: 10/711,372 : Examiner: Michener, J.J.

Filed: September 14, 2004

Title: TANDEM ROTOR WING ROTATIONAL

POSITION CONTROL SYSTEM

Hon. Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION AND BEFORE CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

In response to the final office action mailed on June 24, 2008, the Applicant requests that the claims be amended as indicated starting on the next page; and that the grounds for rejection be reconsidered in light of the arguments set forth herein starting on page 2.